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Page 1, line 10, please delete the title "Protein Tyrosine Kinases" in its entirety and insert therefore --Nucleic Acids Encoding Protein Tyrosine Kinases--.

After the title on page 1, and before the first full paragraph beginning at line 5, please insert the following paragraph:

This patent application is a continuation of application Serial No. 09/223,490 filed December 30, 1998, now allowed, which is a divisional of application Serial No. 08/170,558, filed December 20, 1993, now U.S. Patent 6,001,621, issued December 14, 1999, which is a continuation of application Serial No. 08/157,563, filed November 23, 1993, now abandoned.